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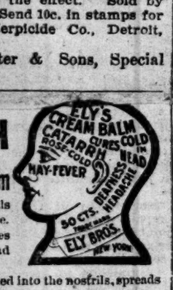

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TO DIE IN PORT ARTHUR.

Owing to the serious weakening of General Stoessel's garrison by the strenuous attempts to take 203-Meter Hill and the lack of ammunition, especially of large caliber, military opinion in St. Petersburg is that he will be forced to concentrate his remaining strength on the promontory on the other side of the harbor.

When interviewed as to the prospects of surrender, the sons of General Stoessel and Fock agreed that neither general would be taken alive. The mother of General Fock was weeping for her son, whom she already considers lost. The wireless station having been destroyed, the last hope of hearing from them has disappeared.

The wife of General Rojestwensky in an open letter expresses warm approval of Captain Clado's communications, which he has written while under arrest, and the gist of which is that the Baltic squadron is unfit to fight the ships of Admiral Togo. She sends 25 roubles toward a subscription started for a cadet scholarship in the name of Captain Clado. Feeling in St. Petersburg for the recall of Rojestvensky runs strong.

The air is full of rumors of reforms. The bitter disappointments and illusions of the conflict in the far East are completely eclipsed by the keen intensity of the hopes aroused for a brighter political future. The leaders of the zemstvos have again been called together to consider their original suggestions after these have passed under the criticism of the Imperial Council, which body discussed them in an unexpectedly liberal spirit.

The veteran M. Svavoria, in an eloquent letter in the Novoe Vremya, calls upon all patriots of Russia to join in a grand movement of evolution, not revolution, reminding his readers of the days of Von Plehve. No one hitherto has dared to write thus.

M. Bompard, French Ambassador to Russia, called on President Loubet in Paris yesterday and presented him an autograph letter from Emperor Nicholas. The character of the communication was not disclosed.

It is learned in Washington through a reliable source that a submarine torpedo boat, which was shipped some weeks ago from Norfolk, Va., for the use of the Japanese government, has been captured by the Russian navy and is now on its way to the far East with the Baltic fleet. The scene and particulars of the capture have not been made known.

Sale of Confederate Bills.

An auction sale of coins medals and Confederate bills, comprising the collections of Edward C. Siesel, Henry Clay Ezekiel and others was begun yesterday afternoon at the Collectors' Club in Fourth avenue New York. The Confederate greenbacks, which were worth next to nothing in 1865, have greatly increased in value. Some single notes, $500 or $1,000 face value, are worth $59 or $60 apiece. The entire series issued by the Confederate government and the States and towns individually is still obtainable, and for the most part all the notes can be purchased in good condition. While there is no one collector in possession of a complete series, many of them have accumulated thousands of dollars' worth of bills and bonds. A complete set would probably sell for $5,000 or $10,000 if put up at auction. The great bulk was printed hurriedly in Richmond, Va., and Columbia, S. C., but the best examples were printed in New York. A curious specimen was recently found by Lyman H. Low, a well known collector, who is conducting the sale. It was a worthless $2 note, but on the back some Confederate had written in a fine hand the well known lines:

Representing nothing on God's earth now,
And naught in the waters below it;
As a pledge of a nation that's dead and gone,
Keep it, dear friend, and show it.
Show to those who will lend an ear
To the tale that this paper can tell,
Of liberty born of a patriot's dream,
Of a storm-cradled nation that fell.

Disastrous Fire.

Probably the worst fire that the city of Minneapolis has ever known was raging at 2 o'clock this morning when $3,000,000 worth of property had been destroyed, with prospects that the total loss will reach at least $5,000,000. The fire started in the photographic supply house of O. H. Peck & Co., on Fifth street and First Avenue south, and in less than one-half hour this building was a mass of wreckage. Next to the Peck building is the furniture supply house of Boutelle Brothers, the largest house of its kind in the Northwest. This building soon caught fire, and is now burning, the sparks from it, carried blocks by the north wind which is blowing, causing several small fires throughout the city. Relief has been secured from St. Paul, that city having sent all its available fire apparatus. With the strong wind blowing, aided by zero weather, the firemen are experiencing severe difficulty in their work, which has not as yet been effective, as the fire is burning itself out in one or two buildings, and their work is entirely directed to the buildings in close proximity in an attempt to save them. It is reported that three firemen have already lost their lives.

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Men's Umbrellas, each, $1.00, $1.50, $1.98, $2.50, $3.50, $5.00 and..... $6.50
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HEREAFTER all canned goods which have been colored artificially must be so marked. When canned peas are filled with copper or when analine dye is used to make cherries or strawberries a brilliant red, the fact must be marked in plain type on the can. This order was issued by Dr. H. W. Wiley, chief of the Bureau of Chemistry of the Department of Agriculture, in a bulletin sent out yesterday. The department has decided that sulphate of copper, when used continually in canned goods, is injurious to health, and if the people are satisfied to eat food of this character it is no more than right that they should be informed of what they are doing. Dr. Wiley is to be commended for his effort to protect the public from fraud. He well knows that few people will buy poisonous food if they know what they are doing, and if the order is rigidly carried out there will be a marked improvement in the quality of much of the canned goods now being placed upon the market.

THERE IS trouble in the Virginia Polytechnic Institute at Blacksburg. A number of members of the junior class have resigned, and others threaten to do likewise. A cadet had been requested by the faculty to resign for participating in the hanging in effigy of the cadet commander. Dr. McBryde was appealed to by the students in behalf of their companion, and not meeting the success they anticipated, the youngsters sent an ultimatum to the faculty that the class would resign if the cadet were not reinstated. He was not reinstated and the resignations followed. Without knowing any more about the incident than is printed in the newspapers, it is apparent to most people that the faculty must have had what it regarded as good reasons for its action, while the friends of the student instituted a remarkable course in an attempt to attain their object. Discipline is essential in all institutions, and the cadets showed a sad lack of wisdom in making such a strange demand upon the faculty.

THE University of Chicago is the recipient of another gift from John D. Rockefeller, according to a member of the advisory committee of the Baptist Theological Union. Between $2,000,000 and $3,000,000 is said to be the amount of the endowment. The money, it is understood, is to be used for the creation of a school of engineering. Mr. Rockefelder, like some others who have amassed colossal fortunes, would like to perpetuate his name among future generations in universities and libraries, while millions in this world, who are struggling for existence or are in want of the necessaries of life, are all around him. The poor, the lame, the halt and blind, we are told, cannot recompense their benefactors, but the latter are assured of recompense at the resurrection of the just. But it is the praise of men which dazzles the great majority.

JUDGE J. B. CHADWICK, of Owatonna, Minn., is a brother of Dr. Leroy S. Chadwick, and the families have visited each other. Three years ago Judge and Mrs. Chadwick, accompanied by a party that included all the Chadwick brothers, took a European tour lasting three months. All the expenses were paid by Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick. When the judge's daughter was married Mrs. Cassie Chadwick sent a mahogany chest filled with silverware. So it appears that others as well as Mrs. Chadwick had a good time with the proceeds of her machinations.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT, it is said, is determined to have legislation giving the Interstate Commerce Commission the right to fix railroad rates. It is hoped he may succeed, but some of the leading republicans in the Senate are opposed to the measure, and the Senate is where the trusts and big corporations have their strongest hold.

IN THE SENATE yesterday the pure food bill was discussed, but no action was taken on it, and it is doubtful if any will be for some time. The adulterators have a big lobby and a long purse, and these are quite potential!

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 14.

Protestations of eventual success in keeping their clients out of the Moundsville, W. Va., penitentiary, made last night and this morning by Charles A. Douglas and the other lawyers representating August W. Machen, Diller B. and Samuel A. Groff, and Dr. George E. Lorenz, of Toledo, Ohio, have failed to dispell a general belief among postoffice officials here that the defendants convicted nearly a year ago and sentenced to two years' imprisonment and $10,000 fine each must take their medicine without much further legal wrangling. The bill of exceptions alleging error in the trial covered almost every conceivable ground for objection on behalf of the defendants. This document was passed on by the District Court of Appeals yesterday with the result that no ground of substantial mistrial was found and the government was abundantly upheld in every essential particular. A reconsideration of the case by the Court of Appeals is a possibility, but in view of the unusually exhaustive character of Justice Shepard's opinion it seems that a reconsideration could with little likelihood change the court's understanding of the case. Machen's lawyers, however, have an alternative which they will likely elect, that is application to the Supreme Court of U. S. for a writ of certiorari, and a review there of the Court of Appeals' opinion. This proceeding would be expensive in the extreme, and would in all probability meet with failure, because the Supreme Court is not in the habit of granting such writs unless there seems to have been a grave injustice committed in the courts below. This view will hardly be taken of the Machen case. The latter's counsel have said repeatedly they will carry the case as far as federal procedure will permit, and therefor it is probable the writ will be applied for. In any event, fifteen days must elapse before the main date of the Court of Appeals is returned, during which time the lawyers will select their course. Judge John F. Kumler, of Toledo, O., Lorenz's lawyer, is en route here to confer with the Machen and Groff counsel. At the Postoffice Department today it is said by persons high in authority that further prosecutions will be hurried during the next few months. Many indictments which have not been pressed on account of the heavy legal work attending Machen's conviction and the following appeal will now receive attention. In addition to the conspiracy indictment on which this conviction was obtained, Machen was indicted on 13 other charges, various people appearing with him in the indictments. The department will not consider itself handicapped by Machen's going to the pen, if his appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States fails, in trying to convict the others indicted with him.

George Reynolds was recalled to the stand at the beginning of this morning's session of the Smoot hearing before the Senate committee on privileges and elections to correct his testimony. He is supposed to be practically the secretary of the Mormon Church. He desired to change his statement that a litigant in the church could appeal from the President to the whole church, so that it might read that he could appeal "to the united quorum of the priesthood." He detailed the officers entitled to sit in such a quorum. Mrs. Frederick Ellis was sworn and said that she resided at Salt Lake, was the daughter of Angus Cannon and was wife of Abram Cannon her cousin since 1879. The latter, an apostle, espoused Lillian Hamlin in the month prior to July 2, 1895, after the manifesto prohibiting polygamy. He talked to witness about his purposed plural marriage, having then three wives. She said: "I told him that if he married Lillian Hamlin conscience would not permit me to live with him. I packed his grip and he left after saying that Miss Hamlin was going with him." At this point the witness burst into tears. She stated that her husband returned from the trip very ill and was brought to her house. The Hamlin woman was at her home from time to time during Cannon's illness. The latter asked witness's forgiveness for the plural marriage and said he had never had a well day since. "I think it killed him," Mrs. Ellis added. Mrs. Ellis had no knowledge of who performed the marriage. James H. Wallis, the cobbler whose testimony as to the endowment oaths yesterday was so dramatic, was recalled to the stand. He said: "During several months past I have frequently told people, both Mormons and Gentiles, about the oaths." Pinned down he could remember of these only Mr. Owen.

An arbitration treaty between the United States and Italy was signed at the State Department this morning by Secretary Hay and Italian Ambassador Senor Mayor des Planches. This treaty closely follows the lines of the other arbitration treaties recently signed between this country and various European powers. It will be sent to the Senate immediately.

Vacancies in the Senate standing committees caused by the deaths of Senators Hanna, Quay, and Hoar, have been filled. There was considerable rivalry between Senators Knox and Spooner, to get a place on the judiciary committee Senator Spooner won out, by giving up his position on Cuban relations. Senator Knox was made chairman of the coast defenses committee, Senator Crane gets the chairmanship of industrial expositions and Senator Dick becomes chairman of Indian depredations.

The President has denied executive clemency to Mrs. Phyllis Dodge, from whom the government seized a pearl necklace several years ago. The sale of the necklace by the government, which was postponed in order that Mrs. Dodge's attorneys might present the matter to the President, will now proceed.

Mrs. Chadwick.

Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick has made another unexpected move. Late yesterday afternoon she waived examination before the Federal authorities in New York and left for Cleveland, in the custody of United States Marshal Henkel, to face her accusers there. Her train is due to arrive in Cleveland at 11.50 a. m. today. Before leaving New York she consented to be interviewed and talked cautiously about her case. She was cool and self contained, and insisted on making her statement in her own way, refusing to answer questions. She said her only purpose in going to Cleveland was to face her creditors, and that she would pay all her debts. She also said she had many offers of bail from prominent persons, but had declined them for her own reasons. Mrs. Chadwick talked mysteriously about recent conferences with some of the "most prominent men in New York." She refused to say anything about Andrew Carnegie. Great excitement was caused in Cleveland by the news that Mrs. Chadwick would arrive there today. Police precautions to restrain the crowds were taken. Heavy bail on additional charges will be demanded if she should seek release from custody. Ex-Judge W. M. K. Olcott, of New York, who was formerly Mrs. Chadwick's lawyer, said she gave him "reasons for the inception of the trust fund," which have not been told and which greatly impressed him. The Rev. Mr. Jolly, of Pittsburg, who married Mrs. Chadwick to her present husband, hints that the Carnegie notes may not be forgeries.

The heavy decline in cotton has caused the suspension of the Citizens' Bank, at Wrightsville, Ga. J. E. Linder, the president, bought two thousand bales of cotton before the slump. He has paid ten thousand dollars to depositors and says he will pay in full.

Virginia News.

Joseph Glowser, of Frederick county, died yesterday. He was sixty-four years of age, and was one of the best-known men in the county.

A hundred and fifty students are in Richmond to pass examination before the State board of medical examiners. Among them are six negroes.

Suit has been instituted in the Amherst County Circuit Court to break up the corporation of Madison Heights, a town of 3,000 people, across the river from Lynchburg.

The local election held at Berryville, Clarke county, resulted in a victory for the "wets" by a majority of forty. The vote stood 104 to 64. The anti-saloon interests made a strong fight.

In order to secure a uniform freight classification, the State corporation commission has requested the representatives of all Virginia railroads to appear before it in Richmond January 17.

The Virginia debt commission, created by resolution of the legislature of 1900, will meet in Richmond today. It is understood that an effort will be made to formulate some plan satisfactory to West Virginia regarding the settlement of her portion of the debt.

Isaac H. Saunders, manager of the Washington Timber, Mineral and Farm Agency, has sold "Barrymore," the handsome country estate of the late H De Butts Norris, near Marshall, Fauquier county, to Mr. William Adams, of Greenville, Tenn., for $15,000.

Tyler Gatewood Kent, son of ex-Lieutenant Governor Robert C. Kent, of Wytheville, was found dead on Lawyer's Hill yesterday. The cause of death is unknown. There is no evidence of foul play. The body, when found, was still warm. Mr. Kent was 43 years old.

Willie Ainslie was accidentally killed near Carmines Island, Gloucester county, yesterday, by the discharge of a gun which his friend, Frank Croswell, was carrying on his shoulder. He was a brother of Mrs. Charles Harry, of Alexandria, and Mrs. Belle Madison, of Norfolk.

The State board of agriculture which is in session in Richmond last night met a number of representativeu of Southern railway lines and discussed ways and means of bringing into the South a fair proportion of the most desirable immigrants to this country from the Old World. The consensus of opinion seemed to be in favor of securing immigrants from among those already established in America, rather than by bringing in aliens by the shipload, even if the latter plan were feasible, which does not seem to be the case. No definite action was taken.

William H. Mc Avoy, a farmer whose home is in Clarke county, was struck late yesterday afternoon by a passenger train on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad in Winchester. As he was crossing Water street, that city, the engine hit his vehicle, which was smashed to pieces. The horse was hurled down a steep embankment, and Mr. McAvoy carried a distance of over 300 yards on the cowcatcher of the engine, but escaped with a few scratches and bruises. Mr. McAvoy is deaf and did not hear the train approaching.

A negro named Nelson, who some time ago was an inmate of St. Elizabeth's Asylum, but who is now living near Merryfield, Fairfax county, has created considerable alarm recently by his actions there. On Saturday he entered the house of Mrs. Wrenn, and when ejected fired several shots. At a store in Merryfield he demanded 5 cents, and emphasised his request with his pistol. He received the money. He attempted similar tactics at the postoffice, but was disarmed by Postmaster Brenizer, who released him. Nelson has a small farm in Fairfax, is married, and has several children. It is said he was formerly bodyservant to Admiral Dewey.

George R. Hill, aged twenty-three, a former employee of the Southern Railway, shot and killed himself at Charlottesville yesterday. Whether the suicide was intended or the shooting was accidental is not known. While out walking, Hill began shooting at a target, when one of his companions knocked the weapon from his hand. Picking it up, Hill exclaimed "It is empty," and placing the pistol close to his breast, pulled the trigger. The bullet entered above the second rib on the left side. Hill declared he had shot himself intentionally and walked down the railroad track. He had gone 100 yards when he fell dead.

CONGRESSIONAL.

In the Senate yesterday a number of private bills and a few bills of a semi-public character were passed, and there was some discussion of the pure food bill by Senators McCumber, Platt of Connecticut, and Spooner. A resolution granting the use of the Pension Office Building for the inaugural ball was passed. Mr. Bailey expressed opposition to it.

Sitting as a grand jury, the House of Representatives yesterday, with almost a full membership, and after more than five hours' discussion to the exclusion of all other business, adopted a resolution providing for the impeachment of Judge Charles Swayne, of the northern district of Florida, for "high crimes and misdemeanors." Throughout the session intense interest was shown by members. Following the adoption of the impeachment resolution, provision was made for appointment of five members to notify the Senate of the impeachment, and for a committee of seven to present the case to the Senate.

Yesterday's proceedings were the first of the kind since the impeachment in 1876 of Gen. W. W. Belknap, who was Secretary of War in President Grant's Cabinet.

Startling Evidence.

Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds to be unequaled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland, of Bentonville, Va., serves as example. He writes: "I had Bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefitted. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all Lung and Throat troubles, Consumption, Pneumonia and Grip. Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists. Trial bottle free, regular sizes 50c and $1.00.

Be Quick.

Not a minute should be lost when a child shows symptoms of croup. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. It never fails, and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Gibson and Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

Today's Telegraphic News

The Minneapolis Fire.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 14.—A fire, which had its origin in the Peck Photographic Supply Building, on Sixth street, shortly after eleven o'clock last night, resulted in the most disastrous conflagration in the history of Minneapolis. At two o'clock this morning the fire was under control. Two firemen are known to be dead. They are John Fellows and George Miller. The property loss is roughly estimated at from $700,000 to $1,000,000. The Peck building, five stories high, is a total wreck, and the big furniture house of Boutell Brothers, a large five story building, is a pile of smouldering debris. Shortly after midnight the flames shot across First avenue and the big Powers department store caught fire, threatening the entire downtown retail district. The entire fire department was out and help came from St. Paul in the way of engines and crews.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 14.—Jacob Miller and John Fellows, firemen, were killed and two other firemen were injured. A property loss of $500,000 tells the story of a fire that threatened the business district at midnight. Thousands of people saw Tony Wilson fall four stories to almost certain death. Both his legs are broken and his condition is critical. He, with Fellows and James Sincoe, were on the fifth floor with a line of hose, and were driven out by a burst of flame. Fellows was burned to death, while reaching the window, and Wilson tumbled headlong to the street.

Blood Shed in Russia.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 14.—A fierce and fatal fight between the police and eighteen revolutionary conspirators has occurred at Odessa. On Monday the police were informed that a secret revolutionary meeting was in progress at a house in Bolgarski street, Odessa. The officers surrounded the house, and attempted to enter. The conspirators, who were led by a young girl, nineteen years of age, barricaded the house and resisted the officers. The girl leader from an upper window opened fire on the police and shot a police lieutenant. The siege continued for forty-eight hours and ended in a hard fought hand to hand encounter. Seven of the conspirators were killed, including the girl leader, and eleven were wounded. Two of the police were killed and nine wounded.

Moscow, Dec. 14.—A party of students started a disturbance at Moscow, today, similar to that which occurred at St. Petersburg several days ago. The police were able to disperse the demonstrators without serious trouble.

The Chadwick Case.

Buffalo N. Y. Dec. 14.—It was after eight o'clock this morning when Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick, aboard the train bearing her to Cleveland, Ohio, opened the door of her state room, and looking out into the car, a smile on her face, said: "Good morning, Mr. Reporters." She was apparently enjoying the best of health, although Fried. Swanson, her maid, said that her mistress was in poor physical condition. Mrs. Chadwick seemed wonderfully cheered at the prospect of going back to Cleveland. The deputy marshals kept very close watch on Mrs. Chadwick.

Cleveland O., Dec. 14.—There was a crowd of curious people at the Union station here at 11 o'clock, awaiting the arrival of Mrs. Chadwick. The train was two hours late, but the crowd did not disperse.

The federal grand jury, this morning, in Cleveland, commenced an investigation of the Chadwick case.

A Husband's Terrible Deed.

Ironton, O., Dec. 14.—Late last night Edward Harris, while in a frenzy cut the throat of his step son, aged six, cut his wifes throat, stabbed her in the neck and cut one side of her face almost completely off, and wound up his bloody work by cutting his daughter Virgie about the face and neck, and his one year old daughter about the face. Harry attacked his mother-in-law, Mrs. Henry Adams, but did not use a knife on her. He then ran from his home and eluded his pursuers for about two hours. The step son lingered an hour and died, the wife and two children are in such condition as to preclude all hopes of recovery.

Fire Causes Panic.

New York, Dec. 14.—A small panic occurred at the Lafayette-Brevoort on Fifth avenue near Eighth street by a fire this morning. The night clerk, after trying to extinguish the blaze, sent in an alarm. The blaze was extinguished after about $15,000 damage had been done. The guests included the French consul Sonflit de Maguy and Madame Minnie Madden Fiske, the actress. When the blaze was discovered a number of guests became panic stricken but owing to the work of Madame Fiske, and M. Maguy all were quited before any one was injured.

Reinforcements for Japanese.

Rome, Dec. 14.—Telegrams received here state that 8,000 Japanese reinforcements have been landed at Pigeon Bay, for the troops advancing on the Port Arthur fortress from 203-Metre Hill. The reinforcements are supplied with a number of quick firing guns and trenching machinery.

A dispatch from Tokio announced that Field Marshal Oyama has issued a proclamation provisionally annexing Southern Manchuria to Japan.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Dec. 14, 11 a. m.—Although the range of prices in London preceding the opening of the local stock market was considerably under the New York parity of last night, the fact had little influence upon quotations here and advances were made in many stocks. Amalgamated Copper was less prominent in the dealings than of late, but indicated further support and advanced nearly 3 per cent. Substantial buying reappeared at the conclusion and the market begins to exhibit a hardening tendency. There is a decided disposition to buy stocks on all resetions. The Lawson advertisement appeared in the London papers this morning and created no little impression. The London market fell ½ to 1 per cent. London sold here on a fairly heavy scale. The market here rallied without any difficulty and without meeting heavy liquidation at any point.

Michael McGrath, 74 years old, a wealthy retired merchant, fell from the top floor of his home in New York this morning and was instantly killed. He had been ailing for some time with pneumonia and asthma. This morning he went to the window in an effort to get his breath and leaned out too far. He lost his balance and was precipitated to the stone pavement in the yard beneath.

The failure of C. Schumacher was announced on the New York stock Exchange this afternoon.

City Council.

A considerable volume of routine business was transacted by the City Council last night.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

All the Aldermen were present.

Mr. Fisher introduced a resolution requesting the Mayor to investigate the service afforded by the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway for passengers traveling between this city and Washington; also directing him to communicate with the railroad commission concerning the same. Mr. Fisher asked that immediate action be taken on the resolution, which will be found in the official proceedings.

The resolution was adopted.

Several papers sent in from the other board brought forth explanations from members of committees who reported the same. In a few instances the purport was not clear to some Aldermen, but explanations made by other members of the board were satisfactory and the action of the Common Council was in all cases concurred in by unanimous votes, except in the report of the joint committees on streets and finance recommending an appropriation of $2,500 for certain improvements on Queen street, west of Washington, which, according to law, was laid over until the next meeting.

COMMON COUNCIL.

The Common Council was called to order shortly before 8 o'clock.

The committee on streets reported in favor of an appropriation of $2,500 for improving Queen street from Washington to Fayette street with gravel streetway, cobble stone gutters, &c.

Mr. Strauss said that we were spending too much money; he did not understand why an appropriation of $2,500 was recommended when but $2,250 had been asked for.

Mr. Williams urged the adoption of the report, saying no other squares in the city were more used than those mentioned.

Mr. Strauss maintained his ground and announced that if a man did not speak his sentiments he ought not to come to Council.

Mr. Leadbeater explained the need of the improvement and said the additional amount needed was on account of the increased price of material.

The report was adopted unanimously, Mr. Strauss withdrawing his opposition, saying he was in favor of all necessary improvements.

The application of Rev. H. J. Cutler for leave to tap the Royal street sewer without cost, for the water used for the organ pipe of St. Mary's Church, was granted with the understanding that if the pipe should be used for any other purpose the usual fee would be paid.

The committee on streets and finance reported in favor of a resolution heretofore offered by Mr. Snowden that the city would pay a fair portion of the cost of any proper and approved streetway improvement if the property holders would pay their share. The report provides that whenever the property owners on any square will agree to pay one-half of the cost of improving that square the city will bear the other half of the expense. Mr. Snowden expressed gratification at the report and explained that he had introduced this resolution in order that street improvements might not cease. Under the old constitution 33 per cent. of street improvements could be charged to the adjoining real estate, but the new constitution had changed this and now no special tax could be enforced. In this condition he desired to help with city funds such property owners as were willing to improve the streets in front of their property. The resolution was unanimously agreed to.

A communication from the Mayor setting out that he had had a conference with Supt. Colvin, of the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway Company, in reference to the claim upon that company for supervising the work on the King street and Royal street extension, of that railway. The company, he said, offered to pay $286.56, and the Corporation Attorney thought that no greater amount could be recovcovered at law. The papers were referred to the committees on finance and general laws.

The report of the finances of the City Gas Works for the past six months was received. It showed that $14,905.08 worth of gas had been sold in that period and that $14,599.48 had been collected. From the balance, $111.60 should be deducted on account of gas used in the armory of the Alexandria Light Infantry.

An order appropriating $900 to improve Alfred street between Queen and Princess streets was referred.

W. H. Peck and others made application for the grading of Payne street from Cameron to Oronoco street; referred.

Mr. Strauss offered the following, which was agreed to: Resolved, that when Council adjourns tonight it be until the second Tuesday in January, 1905.

Mr. Hellmuth introduced an order to repair the city fish wharf at a cost of about $3,800. He suggests that the wharf be extended farther into the river; that the dock be dredged and that all fish, oysters and country produce brought here by boats be required to land there. The subject was referred to the committees on public property, finance and general laws.

Mr. Hellmuth also reported from the committee on public property a statement of the condition of the city jail, which the jail inspectors say is most creditable to City Sergeant Cox. The report recommends a new kitchen and some minor improvements. This paper was referred to the committees on public property and finance.

A resolution of the Board of Alderman in regard to the accomodations on the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway was concurred in.

Mr. Uhler reported a resolution of inquiry as to the cost of two additional benches to the City Gas Works which was agreed to; also a resolution changing the form of the gas bills which was also agreed to. Mr. Uhler explained that the works were being run to their full capacity and that two more benches were needed. He also said the gas bills should not be made out "To Alexandria Gas Works," as there was no such corporation, but to "The City Council of Alexandria."

Mr. Uhler introduced an amendment to an ordinance reducing the time allowed for the payment of gas bills. He explained that, under the present law, 40 days were necessary before the gas could be cut off from delinquents. The present bill reduced that term to thirty days.

The amendment was agreed to, yeas 14 nays, 0.

Mr. Brill called up the ordinance granting to C. F. Thompson and his associates the privilege of furnishing electric light and power to Alexandria.

Mr. Bryan opposed a vote at this meeting, as only 14 were present, and Mr. Strauss and Mr. Williams favored immediate action.

Mr. Leadbeater wished to know how much it would cost for the city to furnish electricity as proposed by Mr. Thompson.

Mr. Bryan said about $40,000 for the plant, &c.

Mr. Strauss declared that the sale of the electric works would ruin the revenue from the gas works. The present electric plant, he said, is good for the next three years.

Mr. Leadbeater wished to know how the money could be raised.

Mr. Strauss said we could spend less money on sewers.

Mr. Leadbeater urged that if street improvements had been made long ago, the city would now have money to establish an electric plant. We had put the cart before the horse.

Mr. Strauss opposed the sale and said it would never be made by his vote. Electricity would be sold cheaper than gas and the gas works would be rendered valueless.

Mr. Leadbeater asked if the proposed contract did not provide that the price of electricity should be controlled by the city.

Mr. Williams said the city could prevent a raise but not a decrease in the price.

Mr. Bryan said he had never heard that electric lights could be furnished cheaper than gas.

Mr. Snowden, Mr. Uhler in the chair, moved to postpone until next meeting. He believed a majority favored the sale and he wished all to be present when the matter was acted upon. The motion was adopted, ayes 10, nays 4.

On motion it was ordered that $240, withheld from the King street paving contractors, Cuvillier & Spinks, as a guarantee for five years, be now paid to them upon the execution of a proper bond. The meeting then adjourned until January 10th.

Official.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the city of Alexandria, Va., held December 13, 1904, there were present:

J. T. Sweeney, esq., President, and Messrs. Hill, Burke, Marbury, Ballenger, Fisher, Curtin and W. H. Sweeney.

Mr. Fisher introduced the following:

Whereas, The railroad accommodations furnished by the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway Company are detrimental to the interests of the city of Alexandria and a menace to the health and well-being of the commuters residing in said city; and

Whereas, Pursuant to the positions of the commuters residing in said city, the Chairman of Committee on Public Property, was read and referred to the joint Committee on Public Property and Finance.

A resolution directing the Clerk of Gas to change the heading of gas bills, was referred to the joint Committee on Light and General Laws.

A resolution by Mr. Hellmuth to make certain repairs at the fish wharf was referred to the joint Committee on Public Property, Finance and General Laws.

A resolution requesting the State Corporation Commission to investigate the service furnished by the W., A. & Mt. V. Railway Company was received from the Board of Aldermen and their action concurred in.

The board then adjourned.

HUBERT SNOWDEN, President.
Teste: DANIEL R. STANSBURY, Clerk.

Therefore, Be it resolved, that the City Council of Alexandria do hereby earnestly request that said accommodations furnished by said railway be investigated by the State's Corporation Commission, and that said company be compelled to improve if not to perfect the same.

That the Mayor of Alexandria be requested to forward this resolution to said commission.

The following were received from the Common Council and their action concurred in by unanimous votes:

Report of the joint Committees on Finance and Streets on a resolution appropriating $2,500 to gravel Queen street from Washington to Fayette, to repave the gutters from Washington to Columbus, to gutter from Henry to Fayette streets, and to repave and widen the gutter on the other squares, was laid over until next meeting.

Report of the Committee on Streets on a petition of Rev. H. J. Cutler for permission to run waste water from St. Mary's Church organ to the Royal street sewer.

Report of the joint Committees on Finance and Streets on a preamble and resolution providing for the improvements on streets where property-owners on the same desire it.

Report of John B. Waller, Clerk of Gas, of the receipts of the City Gas Works during the six months ending November 30, 1904.

Petition of sundry citizens for certain improvements on north Payne street.

Communication of F. J. Paff, Mayor, in regard to certain claims against the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway Company for surveying and inspecting of King street, Fairfax street between King and Prince, and Prince street, between Fairfax and Royal.

Resolution providing for the changing of heading on bills of the city gas works.

An ordinance to reduce the price of gas.

Resolution in regard to certain repairs to the corporation fish wharf and dredging the docks at the same.

Communication of Gardner L. Boothe, Corporation Attorney, in reference to the report of the jail inspectors together with the action of Judge Barley of the Corporation Court in relation thereto.

Resolution directing the Committee on Light to communicate with a practical gas engineer in order to ascertain the cost of additional benches at the gas works.

Resolution directing the City Treasurer to pay to Cuvillier & Spinks the ten per centum withheld on paving on King street, between Fairfax and Royal.

Resolution providing that when Council adjourned it be to meet again on January 10, 1905.

Resolution appropriating $900 to grade, gravel and gutter Alfred street from Queen to Princess.

The board then adjourned.

J. T. SWEENEY, President.
Teste: LUTHER H. THOMPSON, Clerk.

COMMON COUNCIL.

At a regular meeting of the Common Council of the city of Alexandria, Va., held December 13, 1904, there were present: Hubert Snowden, esq., President, and Messrs. Leadbeater, Burke, Risheill, Strauss, Williams, Reader, Brill, Hellmuth, Harrison, Uhler, Marshall, Spinks and Bryan.

The following message was received from the Mayor:

Mayor's Office, December 13, 1904.

City Council of Alexandria,

Gentlemen:

Referring to the inclosed papers, I beg to say that on December 5th I had a consulation with the City Engineer, the Superintendent of the Washington, Alexandria, & Mt. Vernon Railway Company and the Corporation Attorney.

Mr. Colvin stated in reference to the bill for the inspection of King street work, amounting to $245.73, that his company would make no objection to the payment of this bill.

In reference to the work on Fairfax and Prince streets, Mr. Colvin stated that his company did not object to paying the costs for furnishing centre lines and grades but that the company did not feel that it was proper it should pay for the inspection of this work, which inspection was to determine whether the work and material were satisfactory to the city or not, in accordance with the city's specifications.

After the City Engineer had discussed the matter and after a general discussion, in course of which discussion the Corporation Attorney stated that it was his opinion that it was a very doubtful question as to the ability, of the city to recover for the inspection made on Fairfax and Prince streets, I recommend to Council that the sum of $286.56 be accepted in payment of the inclosed bills, which amounts will be paid at once by the Washington, Alexandria & Mt Vernon Railway Co., which sum is made up of the bill for King street work $245.73 and the costs of furnishing grades, centre lines, etc., on Fairfax and Prince streets, $41.83.

Respectfully submitted,
FRED J. PAFF, Mayor.

Upon motion the matter was referred to the joint Committee on Finance and General Laws.

A report of the Committee on Streets recommending an appropriation of $2,500 for grading and guttering Queen street, &c., was passed—ayes 13, noes 0.

The Committee on Streets recommended that permission be granted to St. Mary's Church to tap sewer to take waste water from the church organ, free of charge, if not used for other purposes, and the report was adopted—ayes 13, noes 0.

The following resolution and report of the joint Committee on Finance and Streets was unanimously adopted:

Your committees recommend that the resolution be adopted, provided that no work of this kind be commenced until half the cost of same, as estimated by the City Engineer, shall have been deposited with the City Treasurer. At least one-third of said deposit shall be in cash and the remainder may be in the form of interest bearing notes, with endorsement or security satisfactory to the Committee on Finance of the City Council. At least half of the amount of such notes shall be made payable within twelve months and the remainder within two years.

Whereas, there is a desire upon the part of many property owners in the city for improved streets or roadway, and as it is generally conceded that such streets do and will enhance the value of abutting real estate far beyond a reasonable assessment upon such real estate, and as the revenues at this time and in the immediate future will be insufficient to enable Council to pay for such new streets without an increase in tax rate, and

Whereas, the inclination or determination of Council to make a choice of any particular street or streets for modern or improved paving to be paid for wholly out of the general city receipts, and no part of such cost be apportioned to abutting property, would create a spirit of discontent upon the part of those not so favored,

Resolved, By the Common Council, the Board of Aldermen concurring, that so far as this Council can it will, within its resources, make appropriations for such improved streets, upon the written and attested agreements of property owners to pay a fair and equitable portion of the expense for such improvement.

An act to amend an act passed by the City Council June 27, 1899, reducing the price of gas was read three times and passed—ayes 14, noes 0.

A resolution that the Committee on Light communicate with a practical gas engineer and get plans and specifications for the construction of two new benches at the gas works and the proposal for same was passed.

A report of the Clerk of Gas showing the receipts of the gas works for the six months ending November 30, 1904, was received.

A resolution instructing the City Treasurer to pay to Messrs. Cuvillier & Spinks the ten per centum withheld by the corporation in accordance with the contract for the paving of King street, between Royal and Fairfax streets, providing that the said Cuvillier & Spinks give a bond to the satisfaction of the Finance Committee for the remainder of the unexpired term, was passed—ayes 13, noes 0.

A resolution that when Council adjourns tonight it be to meet the second Tuesday in January, 1905, was proposed.

An ordinance granting permission to Chas. F. Thompson and his associates to furnish light and power by electricity was called from the table by Mr. Brill. Upon motion of Mr. Snowden the matter was postponed until the next regular meeting by the following vote: Ayes, Messrs. Leadbeater, Burke, Risheill, Bader, Hellmuth, Harrison, Uhler, Marshall, Bryan and Mr. President (10); noes, Messrs. Strauss, Williams, Brill and Spinks (4).

A petition from property owners to grade, set curb, gutter and lay 4 feet sidewalk on north Payne street, from Cameron to Oronoco, was referred to the Committee on Streets.

A resolution appropriating $900 to grade, gravel and gutter Alfred street from Queen to Princess street was referred to the Committee on Streets.

A copy of the report of the Inspectors of the City Jail made to the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Va., together with a letter from Gardner L. Boothe, Corporation [illegible] Chairman of Committee on Public Property, was read and referred to the joint Committee on Public Property and Finance.

Did Not See Lawson.

Wall Street was yesterday discussing the possibility of a meeting between Col. William C. Greene, of the Greene Consolidated Copper Company, and Thomas W. Lawson, of Boston, Colonel Greene having announced in several morning newspaper advertisements that he was going to Boston yesterday morning to confront Mr. Lawson, whom he blamed for the recent crash in copper stocks. Colonel Greene had not left New York late yesterday afternoon, and some of his close friends said that they were not at all sure that the threat contained in the advertisement would be carried out. I was positively stated that he would not go to Boston last night.

Mr. Lawson, yesterday awaited the arrival of the armed messenger from the camp of his Wall street enemies. Men were offering over the telephone to meet the colonel at the railway depot and slay him, but Mr. Lawson laughed softly at them. "Greene's a friend of mine," he said, "and if he comes, in spite of what he has said about me, I'll be glad to see him. I wouldn't have any harm come to him for the world. I'm really very sorry he got hurt in the market. I know the curs who put Colonel Greene up to publishing that advertisement attacking me. They are getting desperate, but they will be more desperate before this situation develops much further."

Mr. Lawson has sent the following telegram to Col. Greene. "You wire that you would be at my Street office 3:30 received. As you seem anxious to do your business out in public, will meet you at the time named in State street, in front of the Old State House, and I herewith notify you that I will do all the denouncing that will be done.

At half past one o'clock, he was seen to leave his office in the financial district, presumbly to go to lunch. Lawson will probably be keenly disappointed to learn that he cannot meet the colonel this afternoon.

Fire which started in the quarters of the I. O. O. F., at Stamford, Conn., today gutted the Grand Opera House building, entailing a loss estimated at about $100,000. The Arcade, just to the south was damaged somewhat by water which entered the cellar, and by smoke. The fire is believed to have had its origin from a defective electric light wire.

A Pleasant Pill.

No pill is as pleasant and positive as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are so mild and effective that children, delicate ladies and weak people enjoy their cleansing effect, while strong people say they are the best liver pills sold. Sold by all druggists.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

LOST.—On Monday, December 12, a pair of gold rimmed EYE GLASSES. A suitable reward will be paid for their return to Gazette office. dec13 3t

Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, DEC. 14, 1904.

Local Matters.

Sun rises tomorrow at 7:13 and sets 4:39. High water at 1:04 a. m. and 1:39 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section fair and continued cold tonight. Thursday partly cloudy; light northerly winds.

Complaints of Patrons.

As was stated in yesterday's Gazette, patrons of the electric railway are again complaining of the unsatisfactory service rendered the traveling public in the running of trains between this city and Washington. A meeting will be held tonight in the rooms of the Business Men's League when, it is said, several grievances will be publicly set forth. In the meantime the City Council has taken the matter in hand, and has directed Mayor Paff to inquire into existing conditions. The public is now in a measure dependent upon the electric railway for transportation, and hundreds of persons living in Alexandria are employed in Washington. When trains are delayed it becomes a serious matter to such, as their positions are endangered by their failure to appear at their respective places of employment on time. Besides this, the fact that passengers are forced to remain in unheated cars for an hour or more while the temperature is below the freezing point is a cause for just complaint. These delays are caused by onething or another. Last night the power obtained in Washington failed and the cars were kept standing in the street, while hundreds of tired and hungry peo le who had left Alexandria before sunrise were subjected to a tantalizing delay in reaching their homes. Other causes for delay could be cited. It is charged by some that the motors of the cars have outlived their day of usefulness. At any rate the passengers are unwilling victims of vexatious delays, and the cry for more satisfactory conditions is loud.

Forfeited His Collateral.

A man, who gave his name as Harvey Phillips, was arrested yesterday evening by Officer Knight on a charge of assaulting Conductor Samuel Park of the electric railway. The latter was in charge of an express train that left Washington about two o'clock yesterday afternoon. Before the train left the station the conductor announced that the first stop would be Arlington Junction. Phillips wanted to be put off at Jackson City, and asked the conductor to stop the train which the latter refused to do. Upon arriving at Arlington Junction Phillips grasped Mr. Park by the throat and otherwise assaulted him. The conductor at the time was preparing to give Phillips a pass in order that he could board a north bound local train and reach his destination. Phillips again boarded the train and was taken in custody when it reached this city. He left $10 collateral for his appearance in the Police Court this morning, but could not be found when the case was called.

Corporation Court.

[Judge L. C. Barley presiding.]

Continuation of yesterday's proceedings.—Henry Smith, colored, indicted for "raising" a $1 note to a $20 note, and passing the counterfeit; jury and verdict of guilty and penalty fixed at two years in the penitentiary. A motion for a new trial was argued when the motion was overruled. A stay of execution for 60 days was allowed in order that an appeal might be taken.

Walter Graves, colored, who was indicted for the larceny of sundry articles from the Hotel Fleischmann, pleaded guilty to a charge of burglary, and was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

The case of Mordecai Hurst, indicted for having in his possession goods stolen from the Washington-Southern Railway Company, will be tried tomorrow. Forty witnesses have been summoned.

Discrimination Charged.

The Travelers' Protective Association of Virginia are charging the Southern Railway Company with discriminating against its members, alleging that the company charges them more for transportation than others engaged in similar callings. The case will be brought before the Corporation Commission, and should the railway company be sustained, Mr. A. C. Braxton, of Staunton, who represents the T. P. A., will take the case to the Supreme Court of the United States. Mr. A. D. Brockett, of this city, is president of the State association, and Mr. J. Y. Williams is a member of the State board. Over one hundred members of the organization are in business in Alexandria.

The Trust Company Trouble.

There have been no new developments in the matter of the Virginia Trust and Savings Corporation, mention of which was made in the Gazette of yesterday. Mr. L. G. Smith, the manager of the corporation, is still out of town, but his clerk says he will return tomorrow when everything will be all right. The safe doors still remain closed with the seal placed upon them by Mr. W. W. Barrow on Monday evening. Who Mr. Barrow is no one seems to know, though it is intimated that he is either a government or a corporation commissioned officer. When asked today about the affairs of the corporation the clerk, a young lady, said she was attending to the business as usual.

State to Pay Charge.

Dr. Purvis, the coroner, has sent the stomach of David Frazier, colored, who recently died under mysterious circumstances, to Prof. Gray, of the Army and Navy Medical Museum in Washington He will analyze the same. Judge Barley, after a consultation with Dr. Purvis, said the State would pay the charge for the analysis.

Petit Larceny.

Several cases of petit larceny were reported to the police last night, among them the theft of three overcoats from dummies on King street, three pairs of rubber boots from a dealer on north Royal street and a lap robe from Dr. Delaney's carriage in front of his residence, on Prince street, between Alfred and Patrick.

Election of Officers.

The annual meeting of the Washington Fertilizer Company was held in this city today when the following officers were re-elected: M. M. Parker, president; Louis Beyer, secretary, and E. S. Parker, treasurer. These and Messrs. Woodward, Wilkins, Corlies and Chamberlain were re-elected directors.

Royal Arcanum.

At the meeting last night of Alexandria Council, No. 627, Royal Arcanum, the following officers were elected: Regent, M. Jaffa, Vice Regent, J. R. Mansfield; Past Regent, C. T. Hellmuth; Secretary, J. E. Alexander; Collector, D. H. Appich; Treasurer, R. W. Arnold; Chaplain, G. A. Harlow; Guide, R. H. Atkinson, jr.; Warden, J. W. Talbert; Sentry, John H. Watkins; Trustees, Alvan Powell, N. Wollberg and W. F. Carne, jr.; Representatives to Grand Council, D. H. Appich and J. Ed. Shinn; alternates, F. J. Pollard and C. T. Hellmuth.

Knights of Pythias.

An interesting meeting of Oriental Lodge, No. 6, K. of P., was held in their castle hall, on north Pitt street, last night. One application for membership was received. Under good of the order remarks were made by Past Chancellors Thos. L. Carter, Vernon C. Moore, W. H. May, Herman Friedlander, Ernest R. Boyer and M. R. Norris. Past Chancellor Norris gave a history of Oriental Lodge, which was organized December 12th, 1868, and P. G. R., E. R. Boyer gave a brief history of the order, which was founded February 19th, 1864.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton, presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Harry Phillips, arrested by Officer Knight charged with assaulting Conductor Park of the electric railway, forfeited $10 collateral by failing to appear.

Benjamin Hughes, colored, arrested by Officers Bettis and Hall charged with disorderly conduct, was fined $2.50.

Kate Hughes, colored, arrested by the same officer on a similar charge, was dismissed.

Wreath for Washington.

Carrying out an old custom, Deputy Grand Master of Masons, K. Kemper, representing Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons, and Worshipful Master Hirst, of Fredericksburg Lodge, No. 4, today, the anniversary of the death of Washington, went to Mount Vernon and placed wreaths upon the tomb of the illustrious dead.

Personal

Captain William M. Jones, Superintendent of the National Cemetery at the Soldiers' Home, in Washington, accompanied by Mrs. Jones, was the guest of Captain J. V. Davis yesterday.

Mrs. Lipman Genzberger is seriously ill at her home in this city.

Mr. Jos. S. Beach is quite sick at his home on nort Royal street.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The sale of property delinquent for city taxes will take place tomorrow.

The weather was cold and clear again last night. Conditions today, however, have been milder.

A little set-to between two citizens of at the corner of Royal and Cameron streets occurred this morning, one of the men being knocked down by the other.

Mr. Jeremiah Evans, of Freemont, Ohio, died on Saturday last. He was 87 years old, and was a brother of Mr. Paul R. Evans, of this city. The deceased visited Alexandria a few years ago.

Officers Smith and Beach found a pair of gumboots and some other stolen articles in the house of a colored man named Washington, in the northwestern part of the city today. They were, it is alleged, stolen from Mrs. M. Laupheimer, and she has identified some of the property.

Fifty-Eighth Congress.

Washington, Dec. 14.

SENATE.

The receipt of the electoral votes of West Virginia and Kentucky were announced.

Mr. Hale reported a list of committees filling vacancies, which was agreed to.

Mr. Cullom, from the committee on foreign relations, favorably reported a bill reorganizing and incorporating the National Red Cross. It was passed.

A messenger of the House, followed by the special committee of five, appointed to impeach Judge Chas. Swayne, of the Northern district of Florida, here entered the chamber and were announced.

President pro tem. Frye, who had been standing during the entire proceeding, at the conclusion of Mr. Palmer's remarks slowly and deliberately announced: "Mr. Chairman and gentlemen of the committee of the House of Representatives: The chair begs to assure you that the Senate will take proper order in the premises, notice of which will be given to the House in due time." He bowed as he concluded. Chairman Palmer and the members of the committee bowed in recognition and, turning, were escorted from the chamber by Sergeant-at-Arms Randell, who had preceded them to the bar of the Senate.

HOUSE.

Immediately after the reading of the journal in the House today, Speaker Cannon designated the following as the select committee of seven to draw up the articles of impeachment in the case of Judge Charles Swayne: Palmer, Gillett, Parker, Littlefield and Powers, republicans, and Clayton and De Armond, democrats.

Mr. Jenkins presented the Baker resolution for an investigation of the steel trust, with the judiciary committee's recommendation that the resolution be tabled.

Mr. Baker ineffectually sought time for discussion of the resolution. The motion to table was carried by a viva voce vote.

The Hill bill to improve currency conditions became the regular order in the House at 2:20 this afternoon. Mr. Hill being absent, the House adjourned.

That Thobbing Headache

Would quickly leave you if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25 cents, money back if not cured. Sold by E S Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

Bilious Colic Prevented.

Take a double dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as soon as the first indication of the disease appears and a threatened attack may be warded off. Hundreds of people who are subject to attacks of bilious colic use the remedy in this way with perfect success. For sale by Gibson and Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

The Aberdeen Hotel, Philadelphia, was damaged seriously by fire early today. Twenty guests were aroused by bell boys and chambermaids, and many of them out into the ice and snow without waiting to dress. Three persons were overcome by smoke and cold and were taken to the Mahnemann Hospital.

Mothers, Be Careful

of the health of your children. Look out for Coughs, Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough. Stop them in time—One Minute Cough Cure is the best remedy. Harmless and pleasant. Sold by all druggist.

DRY GOODS.

Woodward & Lothrop

10th, 11th, F & G Sts N. W.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Beginning Thursday, the 15th, store will be kept open evenings until Xmas.

Xmas Cards, Books, Diaries and Calendars—Main Floor, G Street.

This is Everybody's Christmas Store.

THE store is yours to enjoy—a sort of public pleasure resort, and, with its brightness and beauty, it is also the safest sort of a store for Christmas shopping. Command of the markets lets us name the fairest of prices, even for the kinds of things you think will be dear.

Every department is overflowing with gift things for Christmas, carefully selected in the world's best markets, and they are marked at uniformly moderate prices.

The store works more smoothly in a Christmas crowd than ever before, and yet the crowd gets bigger and bigger every year.

Between now and Christmas we shall sell and deliver more things—twice more than at any other time in the year. This means that we shall have twice as many chances to make mistakes and twice as much opportunity to serve you well.

The mistakes we have guarded against by the most careful examination and increase of our facilities and by exhorting our people to be more than ever careful of getting your right name and address and other directions. Will you help us as far as possible by seeing that they do it—while you are there to set them right?

Also please carry small parcels with you when practicable.

German Steins.

We are showing genuine Imported Steins, covered and uncovered Beer Mugs, etc., which are so much used for decorating dining rooms, etc. Prices range from 25c to $6.50.

Artistic Lamps.

Our splendid new stock of Artistic Lamps, Shades and Gas Electric Portables and Fittings offers a very wide choice of useful and ornamental Xmas gifts.

Old Brass Goods.

We are showing in Lamp Department a complete line of Old Brass Candlesticks, Jardiniers, etc., which make unique and very choice Xmas gifts.

Xmas Chafing Dishes.

A Good Chafing Dish makes a most acceptable Xmas gift. Our best Chafing Dishes have the white enameled food pan, which is the most sanitary and best in every way.

$2.25 to $5.

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10th, 11th, F and G Sts., N. W.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY

R. C. Acton & Son,

Jewelers and Silversmiths.

The REPUTATION of this house for selling only goods of acknowledged MERIT is a voucher of SATISFACTION to

Holiday Purchasers.

DIAMONDS, WATCHES, JEWELRY, STERLING SILVER, CUT GLASS, CLOCKS, UMBRELLAS.

LOST.—On Columbus street, between Prince and King streets, or on King street, between Fayette and Pitt streets, a PAIR OF SPECTACLES in a case from Wildt's jewelry store. Finder will please return to 121 south Columbus street for reward. del4 3t*

THE ANNUAL MEEEING of the stockholders of the GEO. W. KNOX EXPRESS COMPANY will be held at 10 a. m., THURSDAY, January 5, 1905, at the office of the company, No. 111 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va.

del4 td M. K. LINN, Secretary.

Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF TWO DEEDS OF TRUST executed by Edmund Hill to the trustees of the German Co-operative Building Association No 5, of Alexandria, Virginia, bearing date respectively on the 7th day of September, 1896, and the 1st day of September, 1897, and duly of record in the land records of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book No. 36, page 496, and Deed Book No. 39, page 283, and by the direction of the board of directors of the said association, default having been made in the payment of the sums of money secured by the said deeds of trust, the undersigned trustees of the said association will offer for sale on

SATURDAY,

the 31st day of December, 1904,

at 12 o'clock m. in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, the following described property to-wit: ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND WITH THE IMPROVEMENTS THEREON in the said city of Alexandria bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning on the south side of Wythe street 142 feet west of Patrick street, and running thence south parallel to Patrick street 156 feet 7 inches to an alley 20 feet wide; thence west on said alley 19 feet; thence north parallel to Patrick street 156 feet 7 inches to Wythe street, and thence east on Wythe street 19 feet to the beginning, with the use of the said alley and all appurtenances. Terms of Sale—Cash. All conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser.

JOHN D. NORMOYLE,
HENRY BAADER,
P. M. BRADSHAW,
Trustees.

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We stamp Leather goods Free.
We engrave silverware Free.
We box all Gifts Free.

Ladies' Suits Reduced.

All Suits in Fancy mixtures and novelty cloths, all sizes from 32 to 44, all colors, all this season's newest and most popular styles, are reduced exactly

One-Half

$13.98 Suits $6.99
$15.00 Suits now $7.50
$17.50 Suits for $8.75

350 Women's Plain Black Suits; sizes 32 to 46; all-wool broadcloths and cheviots. Those that sold for $15 to $20.- Special $13.90

100 Plain Navy Blue Suits, in broadcloth and cheviot; sizes 32 to 42. Those that have been selling from $15 to $21. Special $13.90

85 Tan Covert Cloth Jackets; sizes 38, 40 and 42 only. Taffeta and satin lined. Regular price, $10 and $11.50. Special, choice $5.00

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428-430 King Street.

OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL CHRISTMAS.

$5,000 Worth of Christmas Goods.

$5,000.00 worth of Christmas Goods and all must be sold inside of three weeks. It looks like a big undertaking, but we have the facilities for quick handling of business and the task will be easy for us.

Toys and Dolls.

Automobiles	$8.98
Galloping Horses at $2.98, $4.98, $7.50 and	$10.00
French Jointed Dolls at $5 and	$10.00
Doll Go-carts at $2.50, $3.50 and	$5.98
"Wabash" Hand Cars	$2.98
Flexible Flyers, a fine sled, at	$2.98
Doll Houses at $1, $2.98 and	$4.98
Mechanical Trains, on double tracks at	$4.98
Flying Horses at	$1.00
Tricycle Wagons at	$3.50
Velocipedes at $1.39, $1.69, $1.98 and	$2.50
Musical Albums at	$4.98

Tree Ornaments.

$500 worth of Christmas Tree Ornaments, Animals for Yards, Floating Toys, Fences, Tree Holders, Candles, &c.

Big 5 and 10c Toy Departments.

5,000 Pounds of 10 Cent Candies.

Pay a small deposit and have goods laid aside. It would open your eyes to visit our warehouse and see the goods that have already been laid aside.

C. S. ELLIOTT,

China, Glass and Silverware.

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AT

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Come and see his Toys, a full line of everything for the old and young. His specialties are Dolls, Carriages, Sleighs, Wagons, Horses, Iron Toys, Games, Books, Tree Ornaments, &c.

A full line of

Children's Chairs,
Umbrellas,

Glass and China Ware, Razors, Knives, &c. Prices guaranteed.

COMMUTER'S ASSOCIATION.—A meeting of the association will be held in the rooms of the Business Men's League, corner of King and Washington streets, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, December 14, at 8 o'clock. The Executive Committee has a report to submit, which is important. It is earnestly hoped that all persons interested will be present. By order of the committee.

dec13 2t* O. P. ANGELO, Secretary.

WATERMAN FOUNTAIN PEN, $2.50 at WELDY'S.

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And They're Right. It's By Far the Best Place in Alexandria to Buy Christmas Things. It's the Home of Economy for Christmas Shoppers.

Hundreds of Sure-to-Please Articles For Pleasing, Practical Presents.

A special discount of ten per cent. on purchases for charitable institutions and Sunday schools.

Ladies' 2-clasp Kid Gloves, all shades; $1 value, at 69c.

Ladies' English Walking Gloves; $1.25 value (guaranteed), at $1.

Children's Kid Gloves, all shades, at 75c.

Chifdren's Handkerchiefs, fancy borders and white hemstitch, 3c.

Special lot Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs; 19c to 25c values, at 12½c.

Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs, 12½c.

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs, a beauty, for 12½c.

Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs; 39c to 50c values, for 25c.

Silk Mufflers, 50c, 75c, $1.

White Hemstitched Silk Handkerchiefs at 25c.

Ladies' and Men's Umbrellas, 50c, 98c, $1.25, $1.50 to $5.

Beautiful line of Gents' Silk Neckwear; 50c values, at 25c.

Men's Silk Suspenders, a pair in a fancy box, for 50c.

Ladies' Neckwear at 25c, 50c, 98c to $1.50.

Special lot of Lace and Black Jet Collars, 10c.

Leather Purses, 10c, 25c, 50c to $1.50.

Ladies' Shopping Bags, walrus leather, $1.98.

Leather Shopping Bags, 25c, 50c, 98c.

White Aprons, large sizes, lace trimmed, 25c.

Applique Scarfs and Shams, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1 to $1.50.

Children's Sweaters, 50c and 98c.

Ladies' Sweaters, $1.98, $2.98, $3.98.

100 dozen Ladies' Turn-over Collars, 5c.

Satin Ribbons, 5 inches wide, 25c yard.

Bleached Table Linens, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1 and $1.50.

Fancy Bordered and White Hemstitched Towels, 25c.

"Buster Brown" Hosiery for boys and girls, 25c.

Ladies' Short Corsets, 39c, 50c, with garter attachment.

All-wool Flannel Shirt Waists for ladies; $1 50 value, for 98c.

Ladies' Dressing Sacques; 75c value, at 59c, Ladies' Fleece Vests and Pants at 21c.

Men's Fancy Percale Shirts, laundered; 50c value, at 29c.

Men's Fancy Half Hose, 12½c pair.

All-wool White Blankets at $5 pair.

Down Comforts, $6.98 and $7.98.

Rugs at 98c to $10.

Evening shades of Silks, Peau de Cygnes, Satin Liberty and Gros de Londres, at 50c.

Taffeta Silks in all shades, 39c.

Our line of Furs has been replenished for the holiday trade. Fur Scarfs, 98c to $25 and Muffs to match.

Misses' and Children's Fur Sets, 98c to $7.98 set.

Special offerings in our Dress Goods Department for the holidays.

Ladies' Tourist Coats, $11.98; Short Jackets, $4.98; Children's Coats, $3.98.

We box free of charge all Kid Gloves and Handkerchiefs from 25c and upward.

Store open evenings until Christmas

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"Putting Aside" Time IS Here.

We are now in readiness to provide that which is suitable for holiday buying. Every line throughout our store is the strongest that long experience can assemble. Every price quotation is the lowest possible and preserves the essential of highest quality for which this store is justly noted. In counseling early attention to gift-buying, we are unselfishly advising for your interest. Purchases selected now will be laid aside and you may call for them at your convenience. If you have not as yet made up your mind what to buy, you will find a host of suggestions on display in this store.

Mechanical Toys.

The very latest designs. Something not easily broken. Long Leap Mills, Loop-the-Loops, Ferris Wheels, &c.

Wagons and Hobby Horses

From 10c to $15. Hair Horses, Rocking Horses, Shoofles, Iron Wagons, Wooden Wagons, Coasters, Sleds, the newest designs, &c.

Christmas Books.

To begin with all copyrights are $1.08. These make beautiful presents. Linen Books, Cloth Books, Picture Books, Bibles, Testaments, &c.

Remember.

I have got to rebuild my store, and the goods I now have have got to be sold. With this in view remember you can get genuine bargains here that no other house in town can offer. Call and see for yourself.

R. E. KNIGHT,

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While buying your Cakes give us a call. All makes and designs.

Candies.

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A Card.

I wish to call the public's attention to the fact that the firm of RODIER & GROVES, Decorators and Painters, has dissolved partnership. I also thank you for past patronage and state to you that if you desire an estimate on any work I will furnish the same.

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Painter and Decorator,
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Kodaks from $5 to $15.
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Handkerchiefs, pure linen, for ladies, at 5c up to..... 25c
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These goods just from importer, and are of superior quality.
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The handsomest line we have ever had, and we gladly invite comparison with any to be found here or in Washington.

Linen Table Cloth and Napkin Sets.

Towels, Napkins, Bed Spreads, Blankets and Comforts.

Neckties.

The latest styles to be found, at 25c and 50c.
Positively the prettiest we have ever had, and while, personally, not wishing to make comparison with others, would gladly have you do so.

Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, Hosiery, &c., at All Prices.

Umbrellas.

We offer you an Umbrella (Ladies', 98c; Men's, $1.00) that we believe cannot be equalled at $1 25 anywhere.
Also higher grades up to $2.50, $3 and $5 each. These statements sound extravagant, but it is

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We have in Silver

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Whisky from $1,50 to $8.00 gallon,
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Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, DEC. 14, 1904.

Murderers of Von Plehve Sentenced.

Sasoneff, who threw the bomb which killed Minister of the Interior von Plehve July 28 last, and Sikorifsky, his accomplice in the crime, were yesterday found guilty by the Court of Appeals in St. Petersburg. The former was sentenced to imprisonment for life at hard labor, and the latter to 20 years' imprisonment.

The trial had been expected to last at least two days, but it was rushed to a speedy completion in view of the possibility of revolutionary demonstrations. It was held behind closed doors and all the entrances to the building were locked.

Sasoneff presented a written defense. It is a remarkable document, showing him to be a man of superior intellect and learning. The document sets forth the aims and purposes of the social revolutionary party and the fighing organization, his connection with it, the "reasons and motives" for the murder of Minister von Plehve and also the murderer's version of the crime itself. Sikorifsky is an ordinary workman.

A Virginian and a Yankee Clock.

At a luncheon recently ex-Governor Foster M. Vorhees, of New Jersey, told this story on a distinguished Virginian:

The son of the Old Dominion had been out with the boys. As he softly opened the hall door the melodious voice of his better half greeted him with this query:

"What time is it?"

"It is early, my dear," responded the Virginian.

"How can you say so," exclaimed his spouse, "when the clock has just struck 2?"

"All right," said the Virginian, his voice thundering virtuous indignation. "All right! If you choose to take the word of a d—d Yankee clock against that of a Virginia gentleman you may do so, but I have my opinion of you!"

Democrats Carry Boston.

Municipal elections were held in Boston and eighteen other cities of the State yesterday. There were no noteworthy surprises, with the possible exception of Newport and Woburn, where there were changes from no license to license. The bitterest fight was in Cambridge, where the democratic ticket was defeated by the nonpartisan candidates. In Boston Salem D. Charles, democrat, was elected street commissioner over Guy W. Emerson by a majority of about 20,000. This was the only local office for which a practically straight party vote was cast. Later returns indicated a democratic majority in both the board of aldermen and common council.

Worst of All Experiences.

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Newson, Decatur, Ala. "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed. At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and the result was miraculous. I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered. For Liver, Kidney, Stomach and Bowel trouble Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c. It's guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

No More Suffering.

If you are troubled with indigestion get a bottle of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and see how quickly it will cure you. Geo. A. Thomson, of Spencer, Ia., says: "Have had Dyspepsia for twenty years. My case was almost hopeless. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure was recommended and I used a few bottles of it and it is the only thing that has relieved me. Would not be without it. Have doctored with local physicians and also at Chicago, and even went to Norway with hopes of getting some relief, but Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the only remedy that has done me any good, and I heartily recommend it Every person suffering with Indigestion or Dyspepsia should use it." Sold by all druggists.

Head About to Burst From Severe Bilious Attack.

"I had a severe bilious attack and felt like my head was about to burst when I got hold of a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. I took a dose of them after supper and the next day felt like a new man and have been feeling happy ever since," says Mr. J. W. Smith of Juliff, Texas. For biliousness, stomach troubles and constipation these Tablets have no equal. Price 25 cents. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

FOR OVER SIXTY YEARS

AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. Is pleasant to the taste. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup and take no other kind.

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The Steamers of This Line Will Leave Alexandria
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FOR BALTIMORE AND ALL THE USUAL RIVER LANDINGS.
Cuisine and appointments unexcelled.
Freight for Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York solicited and handled with care.
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Single fare to Baltimore, $2; round trip, $3; Staterooms, one way, $1.50. Meals, 50c.
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The Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Co.

Will run DAILY LINE, commencing on Monday, March 30, with their new and powerful iron steamers,

Newport News, Washington and Norfolk.

Leave the wharf at the foot of Prince street at 7 00 p. m.
Returning will leave Norfolk at 6 00 p. m
Single fare $3. Round trip $5.
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Irritation

of the throat, sore and swollen tonsils, loss of voice, and other throat troubles should never be neglected. These ailments quickly work down to the lungs, and often end in consumption or pneumonia.

HAMLINS

WIZARD OIL

used as a gargle, and externally on the throat, is a marvelous remedy for these painful and dangerous disorders, and effects relief and cure after everything else has failed.

Says Henry Wade, of Harlin, Mo.: "I am under obligations to you for the great good which Hamlins Wizard Oil did my wife. She suffered from Throat Trouble for a year, and though she doctored and doctored, nothing did her any good, until she tried Hamlins Wizard Oil." Price 50c and $1.00.

Sold and recommended by ALL DRUGGISTS.

AUCTION SALES.

SALE OF PROPERTY FOR NON-PAYMENT OF CITY TAXES.

Under the following resolution passed by the City Council Wednesday, November 9, 1904, I will sell at public auction on Thursday, December 15, 1904, in front of the Market Building, Royal street, Alexandria, Va., the following

LOTS AND IMPROVEMENTS

thereon, or as much thereof as may be necessary to pay and satisfy the taxes, assessments, or charges due to the City Council of Alexandria on the same.

Resolved, That the Collector of Taxes be, and he is hereby, directed to proceed and sell at public auction all real estate in the city of Alexandria on which taxes are due and unpaid to June 1, 1904, in conformity to the City Charter and laws relating to the same, said sale to commence Thursday, December 15, 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., and continue from time to time and from day to day until all such real estate is sold.

The purchaser will be required to pay, at at the time of sale, the taxes, assessments, charges and expenses of sale. The proprietor or proprietors of such lots, his or their heirs, representatives or agents, may, within two years from the day of sale, pay to the purchaser thereof, or to the City Treasurer, the money paid for such taxes, charges and expenses, as aforesaid, with six per cent. per annum as interest thereon, or make a tender of the same, in which event he shall be reinstated in his original title. If no such payment or tender be made within two years next after the sale, the purchaser will be required to pay the remainder of the purchase money into the treasury of the City Council, where it will remain, subject to the order of the proprietor or his legal representative; and the purchaser, on the payment of the whole amount of the purchase money, will receive a title to the said lot or lots, or such parts thereof, in fee simple, from the Auditor.

The sale will commence at 10 o'clock a. m. on the day specified, and if not completed on that day, will be continued from day to day and from time to time until completed.

P. P. GORMAN,
Collector of Taxes.

FIRST WARD.

Pope Ashton's estate lot 706 s Lee st, 1901, '02, '03, $4 85.

Beverly Diggs house and lot 213 Wolfe st, and house and lot in rear 213 Wolfe st, 1903, 13 30.

C McLean's heirs lot e side Lee bet Church and South sts, 1902, '03, 3 00.

C McLean's heirs ¼ square ground s w cor Lee and Church sts, 1902, '03, 7 98.

SECOND WARD.

T Sedden Taliaferro part of square Pitt to Royal, First to line, 1903, 13 96.

THIRD WARD.

Alex Barbour house and lot 1010 Oronoco st, 1903, 6 14.

Mrs Emma Gaines house and lot 119 n Henry st. 1902, '03, 13 44.

Mrs Elizabeth B Greene house and lot 1010 Princess st, 1901, '02, 7 99.

Mrs Mollie Lockett lot West st bet Princess and Oronoco, 1901, '02, '03, 3 50.

Mrs Alice P Lockwood house and lot 1022 Wythe st, 1903, 5 98.

Mrs Maria McDermott 3 houses and lots 1213-15-17 Queen st, 1903, 20 95.

Mrs Violett Nelson house and lot 225 n West st, 1900, '01, '02, '03, 10 00

H D B Norris 2 lots Madison between Washington and St Asaph sts, 1900, '01, '02, '03, 8 45.

Mrs Sarah E Simmes lot 514 Pendleton st, 1896 to 1903, 16 00.

Wm C Smith jr house and lot 108 n West st, 1901, '02, '03, 28 71.

T Sedden Taliaferro jr ¼ square ground Washington, St Asaph, First and line, 1903, 2 00.

T Sedden Taliaferro jr ¼ square Pitt, St Asaph, First and line, 1903, 2 00.

M C Wallace lot St Asaph bet Wythe and Madison sts, 1900, '01, '02, '03, 3 51.

Lawrence Washington 2 lots St Asaph bet Wythe and Madison sts, 1900, '01, '02, '03, 4 78.

Mrs L E Williams house and lot 1011 Princess st, 1902, '03, 9 94

FOURTH WARD.

Alex Perpetual Bldg Fund Asso'n, house and lot 223 s Pitt st, 1903, $34 75.

Parrish Burrell's estate house and lot 308 s Alfred st, 1902, '03, 8 32.

Mrs Barbara Chauncey house and lot 906 Duke st, 1903, 11 24.

Mrs Nancy Clark house and lot 326 s Alfred st, 1902, '03, 6 97.

Alex Conway house and lot 512 s Columbus st, 1903, 8 70.

Mrs Lavina Crosen house lot and 1013 Gibbon st, 1902, '03, 13 94.

Mrs Elizabeth B Greene ¼ square ground s e cor Columbus and Wilkes sts, 1901, '02, 35 57.

Jas H Lightfoot house and lot 228 s West st, 1902, '03, 14 23.

Mrs Eliza A Seaton lot 216 s Alfred st, 1901, '02, '03, 33 91.

Mrs Eliza A Seaton house and 3 lots 609-11-13 s St Asaph st, 1901, '02, '03, 50 74.

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Putting the question Saturday,
The answer flashed back:
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Why is it the popular store?

And these are some of the reasons given—Because largest stock in the city; this is unquestioned.

Greatest variety from fine to low priced goods worth having. This is conceded.

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Because there is only one price except to clergymen and our own people, but that price is guaranteed to be the lowest the goods can be had for, or we will buy them back if returned in a few days, unless barred by sanitary rules.

Cotton is never sold for linen, wool or silk, 36 inches to the yard.

Exact statements are made about everything.

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Additional New Stock Will Arrive About Dec. 10.

LOOK at our magnificent window display of all kinds of gifts.
Cut Glass at reduced prices.
Mounted Silk Umbrellas,
Gold Watches,
Lorgnettes,
Fobs. Signet Rings
and a complete new line of Ladies' Gold Rings. All purchases will be laid aside if a small deposit is left. Come in and see us. We can suit you beyond doubt.

Dearborn & Son,

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(Successor to S. S. Hopkins) 625 King Street.

GROCERIES.

$1.60 Per Barrel.

I have received today one car of very fine picked Baldwin Apples, which will be sold at $1.60 per barrel. No charge for the barrel. These apples are sound and the color is a bright red. In fact, I consider them equal to my $2.25 packed apples. Also 1 car of various Fruits. 35 boxes Oranges, 17 barrels fancy King Apples at $3.25 per barrel; 31 barrels extra fancy Greening Apples at $2.10 per barrel; 5 barrels Northern Spy Apples at $2.75 per barrel; 2 barrels Sheep Nose Apples at $3.75 per barrel, and 2 barrels Fancy Pears at $3 per barrel.

Vegetables.

I am still selling white mealy New York Rural Potatoes at 65c per bushel. They cannot last much longer. Do not confound these with the western stock, which is being sold at the same price. These potatoes are smooth; hence very little waste. I will sell you a peck at 18c.

Best Onions at $1.10 per bushel, 8c quarter peck.

Sweet Potatoes, $2.75 per barrel.

King Apples	35c per peck
None Such	35c " "
Northern Spy	35c " "
Baldwins	22c " "
Balkwins	30c " "
Greenings, fancy	30c " "
Gravensteins	30c " "
Pears at	35c per peck

GROCERIES—I have a fine assortment of staple and fancy groceries which I am selling a little lower than the regular prices. I have no special days for special prices, but the same prices prevail each and every day.

BUTTER AND EGGS—Plenty Butter here for baking purposes at 25c per pound. Butter for Table Use, 27c and 30c pound.

Best recandled western Eggs at 27c per dozen. They are good and no doubt you have been paying much more for the same kind of eggs.

The Consumers' Store.

Absolutely no connection with any other.

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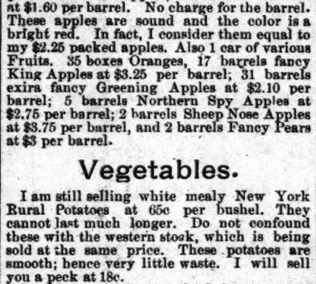

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just now, and is playing havoc all over the country, but he will settle down to business bye-and-bye. Meanwhile we are doing business at the same old stand, and are supplying the needs of the people of this city with just as good and just as clean and satisfactory coal as we have ever sold before, and if you need a new supply, just send us your order and we will deliver at once.

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ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS.

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Orders from the country for merchandise shall receive prompt attention.

Consignments of Flour, Grain and Country Produce solicited, for which they guarantee he highest market prices and prompt returns

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PURE WINES AND LIQUORS.

Country Produce received daily. Our stock of Plain and Fancy Groceries embraces everything to be had in this line.

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AUCTION SALES.

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a decree entered in the suit of Virginia S. Hite et al. vs. Virginia Kay Wharton et al., pending in the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1904,

at 12 o'clock, in front of the Market Building, Royal street, Alexandria, Va., the following real estate:

No. 1. THREE-STORY BRICK HOUSE No. 209 Prince street, fronting on Prince street 21 feet, more or less, by 90 feet, more or less. [Liber No. 3, page 139.]

No. 2. LOT on south side of Wolfe street, between Columbus and Alfred streets, 24 feet in front and 220 feet in depth. [Liber No. 3, page 139.]

No. 3. TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE on the west side of Patrick street, between King and Cameron streets, fronting on Patrick street 21 feet and extending back 123 feet 5 inches. [Liber No. 3, page 138.]

Terms of Sale: One-third cash and the residue of purchase money in two equal payments at six and twelve months, the deferred payments to bear interest and be evidenced by notes of the purchasers and title retained until the whole of purchase money is paid. Conveyancing at cost of purchasers.

JOHN M. JOHNSON,
Commissioner of Sale.

This is to certify that John M. Johnson, commissioner of sale in the above suit, has executed the bond required of him—November 23, 1904.

JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk.
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
no25 td

R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a decree entered in the chancery cause of Betty Baum and Henry Baum vs Julius Dreifus and others, pending in the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction on

SATURDAY,
the 31st day of December, 1904,

at the Royal street front of the Market Building, Alexandria, Virginia, the following real estate: A LOT OF GROUND WITH THE BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS THEREON in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, described as follows, to-wit: Beginning on the east side of Payne street at the point of equal distance from King and Prince streets, that is to say, 176 feet 7 inches from the said streets, and running thence south on Payne street 60 feet to a twelve foot alley; thence east on said alley and parallel to King street, 123 feet 5 inches to the middle of the square; thence north end parallel to Payne street 60 feet; thence west in a straight line to the beginning, with all rights and appurtenances to the same belonging, it being the property of which the late Caroline Dreyfus, died seized and possessed. The terms of sale are one-third of the purchase money in cash and the residue thereof in two equal payments at six and twelve months with interest, the notes of the purchaser to evidence the deferred payments, and title to the property retained until the said deferred payments are paid,

J. K. M. NORTON,
JOHN M. JOHNSON,
Commissioners of Sale.

This is to certify that John M. Johnson, one of the Commissioners of Sale in the above entitled cause, has executed bond required of the Commssioners of Sale.

JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk,
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
de10 td

By S. H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

Pursuant to a decree of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, entered in a chancery suit therein depending, wherein William W. McNair is the complainant and Mary Baker, et als, are defendants, the undersigned will sell at public auction, on the premises, at 11 o'clock a. m., on

SATURDAY,
the 24th day of December, 1904,

A CERTAIN LOT GROUND lying on the north side of King street extended and bounded on the west by the lands of Baggett, formerly being the lands of Hooff and the heirs of John Ramsay; on the north by the lands formerly belonging to Townsend Baggett; on the east by the land formerly belonging to Wesley Summers, and on the south by King street, aforesaid, extended.

The said lands were for many years and until about 1898, fenced in on each and every side, and contain between four (4) and six (6) acres, more or less.

The property will be offered as a whole, and the bidding will be started at the sum of $6,567.

Terms of sale shall be one-third cash and the residue in two equal payments at six and twelve months from date of sale, bearing interest, and evidenced by the notes of the purchaser or purchasers and secured by a retention of the title or by a deed of trust, or all of the purchase money may be paid in full at the option of the purchaser or purchasers.

JOHN M. JOHNSON,
GARDNER L. BOOTHE,
Commissioners of Sale,

I hereby certify that John M. Johnson, one of the Commissioners of Sale above mentioned, has executed bond in the penalty of $5,000, as required by a decree in the above entitled cause with approved security.

JOHN S. BEACH,
Clerk of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia. dec13 td

MEETINGS.

A CALLED MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the ALEXANDRIA INSURANCE COMPANY will be held at the company's office, No. 125 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on THURSDAY, December 22, 1904, at 11 o'clock a. m.

LAURENCE STABLER, Secretary.
dec7 td

NOTICE.

Alexandria, Va., Dec. 6, 1904.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the CHARLOTTESVILLE AND RAPIDAN RAILROAD COMPANY will be held at No. 212 King street, Alexandria, Virginia, on WEDNESDAY, December 21, 1904, at ten o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing directors and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.

R. D. LANKFORD, Secretary.
de6 td

NOTICE.—THE ANNUAL MEETING OF the stockholders of the GRAND OPERA HOUSE COMPANY will be held on MONDAY, January 2, 1905, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., at 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va.

HENRY F. WOODARD, Secretary.
dec8 eotd

CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK,
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 9, 1904.

The ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of this bank for the election of directors for the ensuing year will be held at the banking house on TUESDAY, January 10, 1905, between the hours of 11 to 12 m.

W. F. LAMBERT, Cashier.
dec9 wtd

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK.
Alexandria, Va., Dec, 10, 1904.

The annual election for directors of this bank will be held at the banking house on TUESDAY, January 10, 1905, between the hours of twelve and one o'clock.

de10 w3w C. R. HOOFF, President.

ALEXANDRIA NATIONAL BANK,
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 10, 1904.

The annual election for directors of this bank will be held at the banking house on TUESDAY, January 10, 1905, at 12 o'clock.

de10 w3w T. C. SMITH, Cashier.

NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the VIRGINIA TITLE COMPANY will be held at 700 Duke street, Alexandria, Va., at 8 p. m., on MONDAY, January 2, 1905. WORTH HULFISH,
Secretary and Treasurer.
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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the AMERICAN RUTILE COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY, the 2d day of January, 1905, from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as can be lawfully considered. The transfer books will be closed for ten days prior to the 2d day of January, 1905. W. M. SLATER, President.
SHERWOOD WILSON, Sec. and Treas.
dec12 td

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RAILROADS

Washington, Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway.

In effect November 1, 1904.

LEAVE ALEXANDRIA.

For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days, at 5 45, 6 15, 6 36 6 45, 7 05, 7 15, 7 30, 7 45, 8 00, 8 15, 8 30, 9 00 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 10 50, 11 20 and 11 42 a. m. 12 20, 12 46 1 00, 1 20, 1 46, 2 10, 2 46, 3 05, 3 30 3 46, 4 15, 4 36, 4 55, 5 25, 5 45, 6 05, 6 30, 6 55, 7 15, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 8 15, 9 00, 9 45, 10 25, 10 50, 11 20 and 11 50 a. m., 12 20, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50, 2 20, 2 50, 3 20, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50, 5 20, 5 50, 6 20, 6 50, 7 20, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 p. m.

LEAVE WASHINGTON.

For Alexandria, from the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 13½ street, week days, 6 20, 6 50, 7 05, 7 20, 7 40, 7 50, 8 20, 8 35, 9 05, 9 35, 10 00, 10 25, 11 00, 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 20, 12 40, 1 05 (express), 1 25, 1 55, 2 02 (express), 2 30, 2 55, 3 30, 4 00, 4 15, 4 40, 4 50, 5 05, 5 15, 5 30, 5 55, 6 05, 6 30 6 55, 7 10, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10, 11 50 and 12 30 p. m.

Sundays—7 40, 9 00, 9 45, 10 25, 11 00, 11 30 a. m 12 00 noon, 12 30, 1 00, 1 30, 2 00, 2 30 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00 5 30, 6 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 7 55, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 6 52, 8 42, 10 32, 11 32 a. m. 12 32, 1 32, 2 32, 3 27, 4 47, 5 30, 7 05 and 9 02 p. m.

Sundays—7 02, 9 33, 10 55 a. m., 12 44, 2 32, 4 47, 6 40 and 9 02 p. m.

FOR ARLINGTON.

Leave Alexandria 7 05, 7 45, 8 30, 9 00, 10 00, 10 25, 10 50, 11 20, 11 42 a. m., 12 20, 12 46, 1 00, 1 46, 2 10, 2 46, 3 05, 3 46, 4 36, 5 25, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55, 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 15, 9 00, 9 45, 10 25, 10 50, 11 20, 11 50 a. m., 12 20, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50, 2 20, 2 50, 3 20, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50, 5 20, 5 50, 6 20, 6 50, 7 20 and 7 50 p. m.

FOR ROSSLYN.

Leave Alexandria for Rosslyn, week days 7 05, 7 45, 8 30, 9 00, 10 00, 10 50, 11 42 a. m., 12 46, 1 00, 2 46, 3 46, 4 36, 5 25, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55 and 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 15, 9 00, 9 45, 10 50, 11 50 a. m. 12 50, 1 50, 2 50, 3 50, 4 50, 5 50, 6 50 and 7 50 p. m.

Baggage checked and carried on the following trains from Alexandria for Washington week days: 8 30 and 10 25 a. m., 1 00, 3 05 and 6 05 p. m.

Sundays—8 15 a. m. and 6 20 p. m.

Parcels carried.

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CLARENCE P. KING, President. J. COLVIN, Superintendent.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Schedule effective December 4, 1904.

Trains leave Southern Railway Station Alexandria:

7:55 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

11:08 A. M.—Washington and Florida limited. Pullman drawing-room sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.

11:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa. Dining car service a la carte.

10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.

11:05 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Southwestern Limited. All Pullman train, club and observation cars to Atlanta, Macon. Sleepers to Nashville, Atlanta, Macon, Memphis and New Orleans. Dining car service

TRAINS ON BLUEMONT BRANCH.

Leave Alexandria 8:21 A. M., 1:40 and 4:53 P. M. week days for Bluemont; 6:33 P. M. for Leesburg; 9:20 A. M. and 5:10 P. M. on Sundays only for Bluemont.

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 6:17, 6:32, 9:25 and 9:55 A. M. and 2:40, 9:10 and 9:30 P. M. daily. From Harrisonburg 11:35 A. M. week days and 9:00 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 8:05 A. M. and 9:00 P. M. daily.

For detailed schedule figures, tickets, Pullman reservation, etc., apply to WILLIAM G LEHEW, ticket agent, Alexandria, Va.

C. H. ACKERT, General Manager.
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W. H. TAYLOE, Gen. Passenger Agent.
L. S. BROWN, General Agent.
Washington, D. C.

Washington Southern Ry

Schedule in effect November 27, 1904.

Trains leave station corner Fayette and Cameron streets for Washington and points north at 8 01 and 9 52 a. m., 12 21, 2 54, 7 08, 8 19, and 11 34 p. m., week days.

Sundays—9 52 and 12 21 a. m., 7 08, 8 19, and 11 34 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 48, 7 56 (local), and 11 05 a. m., 3:59, 5 07 (local), and 6 40 p. m., week days.

Sundays—4 48 and 11 05 a. m., 3 59, 5 07 (local), and 6 40 p. m.

Accommodation for Quantico 7 56 a. m. Sundays only, 4 42 p. m. week days and 8 32 p. m. except Saturdays.

NOTE:—Time of arrivals and departures and connections not guaranteed.

W. D. DUKE, C. W. CULP, W. P. TAYLOR, Gen. Man. Ass't Gen. Man. Traf. Man.

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